

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 98-652-C - ORDER NO. 2001-680
AUGUST 6, 2001

IN RE: Application of FirstWorld Communications, Inc. for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Interexchange Telecommunications Services within the State of South Carolina, and for Alternative Regulation.)	ORDER CANCELLING
)	CERTIFICATE AND
)	WITHDRAWING TARIFF
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This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the “Commission”) on the request of FirstWorld Communications, Inc. (“FirstWorld” or the “Company”) to cancel its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide resold interexchange telecommunications services within South Carolina and to withdraw its applicable tariffs.

By letter dated July 10, 2001, Senior Manager for FirstWorld advised the Commission that FirstWorld was respectfully requesting cancellation of its Certificate to operate as a reseller of interexchange telecommunications services within the State of South Carolina and withdrawal of the Company’s tariffs. A review of the docket file reveals that FirstWorld’s authority was granted by Order No. 1999-370, dated June 23, 1999.

FirstWorld acknowledges that the Company has not provided any telecommunications services in the State of South Carolina since granting of its authority; therefore, no customers would be impacted by the withdrawal. Based upon the facts set

forth in this request, the Commission finds and concludes that FirstWorld's request to cancel its Certificate and to withdraw its tariff should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

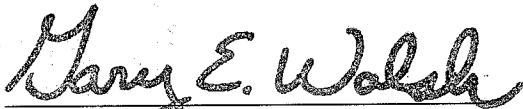
1. The Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate as a reseller of interexchange telecommunications services within the State of South Carolina authorized by Order No. 1999-370, dated June 23, 1999, issued to FirstWorld in the instant Docket is hereby cancelled, and the tariff filed by FirstWorld is withdrawn.

2. This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.



Chairman

ATTEST:



Executive Director

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